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Attorney Docket No. 13724-731 (formerly ZOMD 1039)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application)
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Inventor(s): Edward J. Gough, Alan A. Stein)
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Application No.: 08/515,379)
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Filed: August 15, 1995)
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Title: MULTIPLE ANTENNA ABLATION)
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DECLARATION OF STUART D. EDWARDS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I, Stuart D. Edwards, declare that the following is true and correct:

1. From June 1994 to the present I am a member of the Board of Directors of ZoMed International, Inc.

2. Upon my review of the claims presently pending in the above-referenced patent application, it is my belief that I am an inventor of the subject matter claimed in at least one of the pending claims.

3. The above-referenced application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/290,031 (now issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,536,267) for which I am a co-inventor. I was aware of the above-referenced application at the time it was being prepared and filed and believed that I was being named as a joint inventor. In December 1996 it was realized that I had not been named as a joint inventor of the patent application. Paul Davis was then requested by ZoMed International, Inc. to prepare a petition to add my name as a joint inventor of the above-referenced application.

4. I believe that the omission of my name as an inventor in the above-referenced patent application was inadvertent and was not done with any deceptive intent.

5. I make this declaration with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both (18 U.S.C. § 1001) and may jeopardize the validity of the patent. All statements of my own knowledge are true. I believe all statements made herein on information and belief to be true.

Executed this 23rd day of December, 1996 at
Portola Valley, California


Stuart D. Edwards